

March 31, 1949

Mrs. Fred O. Peterson

Funeral services were held at the Johnson Funeral Home in Aberdeen last Wednesday for Mrs. Fred O. Peterson, who passed away Friday, March 18th, at the Emanuel hospital in Portland, Ore. The Rev. A. Elmer Moe officiated. Pall bearers were: S. D. Richmond, G. A. Ryan, Roy Everson, Bennie Everson, Harry Gilchrist, and Harry Plummer. Burial was in the Bath cemetery.

Relatives from away attending the last rites were: Mrs. R. A. Simmons, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Ed. Perrin of Portland, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Peterson and Wayne Peterson of Pierre, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. August Buntrock of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Grace, of Frederick; Mr. and Mrs. Al Keup and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pharis of Groton.

Gladys Pharis was born in Decatur, Ill., December 8, 1900. At the age of six, her parents moved to South Dakota, settling near Putney, where the deceased lived until her marriage in 1918, to Fred O. Peterson. In 1937 they moved to the west coast, residing in California until a couple of months ago, when they moved to Portland, Ore.

Mrs. Peterson will be remembered by a host of friends for her genial disposition and kindness, which won for her the fellowship of all who knew her. She was a true and loving wife and mother and her passing brings deep sorrow to all.

Surviving, besides her husband, is a son, Dwight; her mother, Mrs. Charlotte Pharis of Portland, Ore.; four sisters, Mrs. Ethel Simmons of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Frances Grace of Clatskanie, Ore.; Mrs. Mae Bradshaw of Oswego, Ore., and Mrs. Eunice Perrin of Portland, Ore.; two brothers, George of Portland, Ore.; and Harry of Putney.